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(SBU) On May 10, Econoff delivered reftel demarche to Dr. Said al-Riyami, Economic Expert, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, and Mohammed al-Said, Deputy Chief of the Economic and Technical Cooperation Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Both agreed that strong leadership would be essential to building the institutional capacity of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) and took on-board USG recommendations for the next WIPO Director General. Embassy will report any substantive response septel.
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